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App. No. 10/602,333  
Response to May 14, 2004 Office Action  
Attorney Docket No. 070221-9012-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Group Art Unit 3671

In re

Patent Application of

Robert W. Rush

Serial No. 10/602,333

Filed: June 24, 2003

Confirmation No.: 2035

Examiner: Arpad F. Kovacs

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07-08-04

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Response and Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 14, 2004. Please amend the present application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

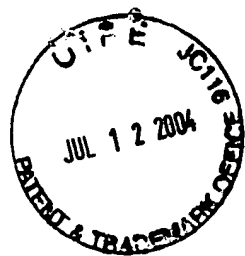
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 18 of this paper.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	(1)	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3)	(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
	TOTAL CLAIMS	51	MINUS	27	24	X \$9	216.00
	INDEP. CLAIMS	6	MINUS	3	3	X \$43	129.00
	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT ----□						345.00

A check in the amount of \$345.00 is attached.

In the event Applicant has overlooked the need to request an extension of time, please consider this a request for the same.

Charge or credit Deposit Account No. 13-3080 with any shortage or overpayment of the fees associated with this communication. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy M. Kelley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "T" and a long, sweeping underline.

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